

The background is a dark, textured purple and blue gradient. Overlaid on this are several concentric white circles, resembling a target or a ripple effect. A bright, glowing white sphere is positioned in the upper left quadrant, partially overlapping the circles. The year '2005' is prominently displayed in the center, with the '0' and '5' appearing to be part of the glowing sphere's reflection or a continuation of its light.

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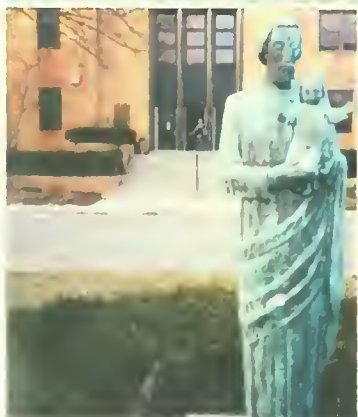
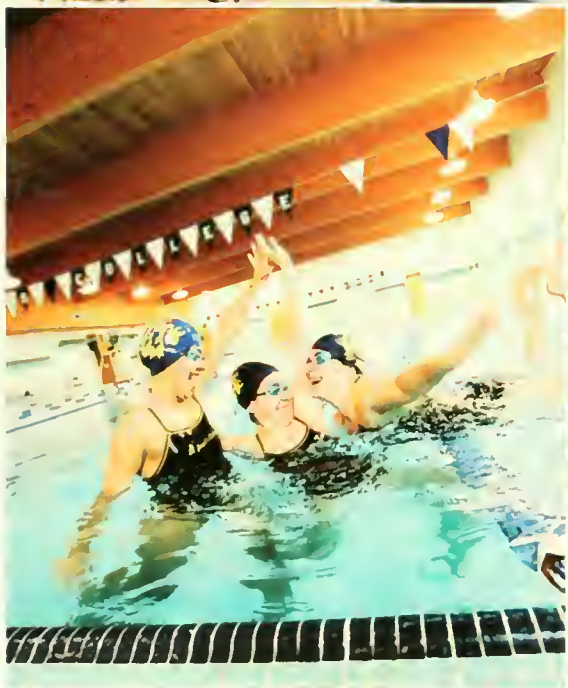
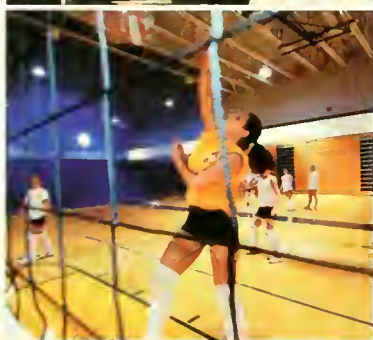


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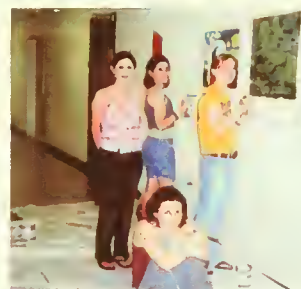
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Old things have passed away; behold, all things have become *new*

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HORIZONS 2005

is Lovingly Dedicated to the Memory of

DION ARROYO

MARCH 3, 1983 - SEPTEMBER 11, 2003

Almost two years have passed since the death of Dion Arroyo, but to so many of us at St. Joseph's it still feels like only yesterday that we had the privilege of being in his company. Dion died on September 11th, 2003, when his truck collided with a light pole on Waverly Avenue. For those that did not know him, Dion was a friend to all, and a beloved brother of Delta Psi Omega. Dion had such an outgoing personality and a great sense of humor. If you ever had a problem, or if something was troubling you, all you needed was a small dose of Dion — he had the ability to make you feel better no matter how upset you were.

Many of us still have frequent thoughts of Dion, and personally not more than a day or two goes by before some amusing memory surfaces that can still cheer me up today no matter how distressed I may be. Many people come and go in life. Dion may have only been with us for a short time, but he has touched more lives than most people touch in ten lifetimes. If you find this comment to be exaggerated, I assure you it is not. If you attended Dion's funeral services, you would have seen the lines of people that packed the inside of the building, then wrapped all the way around the outside of the building. New people came and went every few minutes, but that line never shrank. Every person who attended had a story to tell about how Dion had changed their life in some way or another. Dion was there for everyone, whether he did something as simple as taking the keys from someone who contemplated driving while intoxicated, or talking someone through a complicated time in their lives. Dion was always ready and willing to do whatever he could to assist anyone in need.

We will always appreciate the time we were able to spend with Dion, and the memories left behind will forever live in our hearts. Delta Psi Omega is honored to be able to call Dion Arroyo one of our own. He was — and always will be — one of our most valued brothers. We love you Dion!



With love and respect,

A Proud Brother of Delta Psi Omega



*Forever in
Our Hearts*



A MESSAGE FROM THE EDITOR

June 2005



To the Graduating Class of 2005 at St. Joseph's College:

Well class, we finally made it!!! For those of you that started out in freshman seminar, it has been an extraordinarily long four-year journey. For those of you that came in midstream, it has been even longer for you. No matter how long your personal journey has been, nothing compares to the memories that we take away from St. Joseph's College. Whether or not you were involved with the college, everyone has their favorite memories. Whether it is from one of the many wonderful events held on and off campus or an inside joke that you and your friends share from one of the many educational classes. No matter who you are, where you live, or what your major, St. Joseph's College means many different things to many different people. I for one will never forget the professors who pushed me to be better than I was, the friends I have made along the way, and the many clubs that I had the privilege of contributing to.

For me, my favorite memory will be of the many professors, advisors, and staff that have guided me over a very rough four years. I will also cherish the many friends that, I am sure, are life-long. So, in remembrance of the journey we have all shared, I give you the 2004-2005 yearbook. I know that many people worked very hard on this and I hope that it helps you all to remember the good, the bad, and the wonderful. Enjoy it and good luck in any and all endeavors you pursue!!

Fondly and Forever,

Tara M. Coppola, Class of 2005
President of SJC Yearbook
2004-2005



**Our adviser,
Victoria Hong.**



Dear Graduates:

In the years ahead, when you pick up this yearbook and start leafing through it, I hope it will bring back many wonderful memories of the time you spent here at St. Joseph's College. Names and faces once so familiar may have faded a bit, but this book will help you to remember a very special time in your lives, and the very special people with whom you shared it.

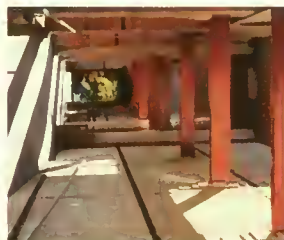
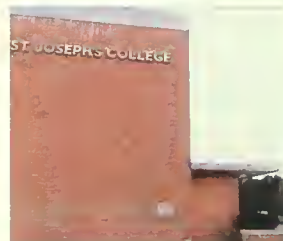
During the past four years, the members of the Class of 2005 have done many things to enrich the life we share here at St. Joseph's. You have been generous with your time, your talent, your energy and your laughter. Both in and out of the classroom, you have made the College a better place, and you have earned our admiration, respect and gratitude. You will soon be all caught up in the excitement and wonder of the next phase of your lives, but I am sure that you will never forget the many joys you experienced while you were with us. I promise that we will never forget you!

It is our hope and prayer that the qualities noted in our mission statement...integrity, intellectual and spiritual values, social responsibility, and service...have become principles that will guide and direct you throughout your lives. I also hope and pray that the years ahead will bring all of you great success and much happiness. Be assured, even as you prepare to leave, that you are and always will be part of the St. Joseph's College family.

Sincerely,

Sister Elizabeth A. Hill, CSJ

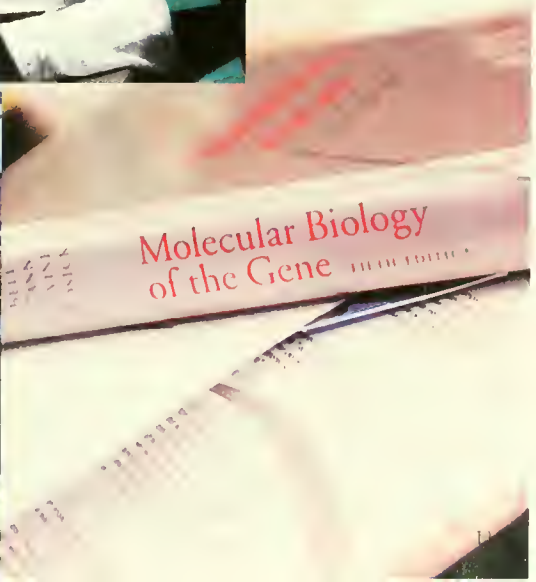
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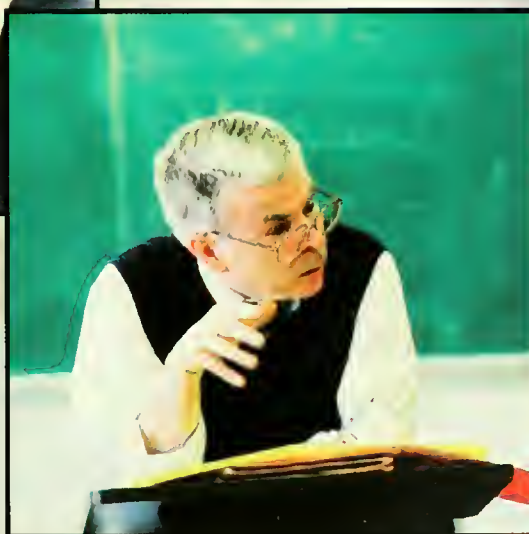
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Adomeit



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Ashton



Jennifer
Barlow



Ryan A.
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Bergan



Howard
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Meghan A.
Bollbach

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Cristina
Bowser

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Sandy
Brownell

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Erin
Butler

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Stacey
Cagna

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Heather
Campbell

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Gina
Carone



Tasha
Carulli



Haley
Case



Georgia
Cava



Joselle
Cespe



Danielle
Chacalos



Deyong
Chen



Jin
Chen



Darlene
Chiappino



Rose
Cianchetti



Alyson
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Evan Paul
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Kristin
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Tracy
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Jessica
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Decaro



Gina
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Diana
DeLauro



Wendy
Delgado



AnnMarie
Kristen
DeLiso



Jennifer
DeNoble



Kristen
Dreyer



Allison
Drosin



Shannon
Drossel



Kathy
Dupre




Linda
Dyroff




Tonianne
Ezzo



Erika
Fagerlund

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Falco

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Fanuele

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Sarah E.
Fardella

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Tiffany
Fasanelli

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Krystle
Fasano

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Danielle
Fede



Josephine
Fitzpatrick



Nicole
Franklin



Tara
Froh



Bernadette
Gaddis



Sonia
Galea



Kristen
Galligan

Meagan
Gillen



Mary
Glecker



Adam
Gledhill



Christina
Globe



Stephen
Gonzalez



Linda
Gordon





Joseph
Gross



Carmela
Grosso-Fallon,
R.N.



Erin Marie
Guercio



Annadanielle
Gullo



Falon
Haase



Jennifer
Haase



Marissa
Hahn



Teresa
Hampl



Nichole
Hassett



Monica
Hein



Myrna
Hernandez



Meghan
Hoey



Kelly
Honce



Kate
Jurgens



John V.
Kane



Melissa
Kangas



Lindsay
Karas



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King



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Maine



Amy
Malenowsky



Asma
Malik



Marissa
Mancini



Theresa
Martin



Christine
Martino



Julie
Massimillo




Tiffany
Matera



Jennifer
Matos



Cheryl
Mazzochi

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Robert
McCoy

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Michelle
McDonald

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Debra
McDowell

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Jamie
McGee

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Lauren
McHugh

A circular portrait of a young woman with long dark hair, wearing a black graduation cap and gown with a white collar and a yellow sash.

Andrea
McNally



Claire C.
McNerney



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Medina



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Meyers



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Jessica
Purcher



Jessica
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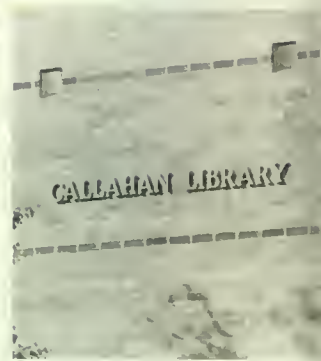
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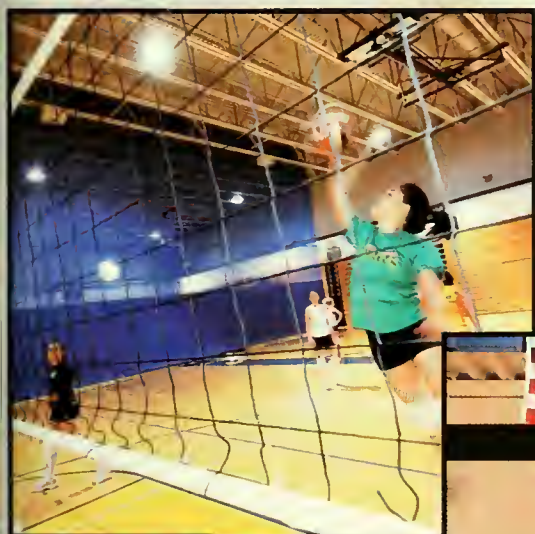


Pope John Paul II, born Karol Józef Wojty (May 18, 1920 – April 2, 2005), was Pope, Prince of the Apostles and Bishop of Rome for almost 27 years, from 16 October 1978 until his death, ruling Vatican City and leading the Roman Catholic Church and Eastern Churches in communion with the Holy See. By virtue of his office, he was formally addressed by Catholics and many non-Catholics as His Holiness. He served the third longest papacy following Saint Peter and Pope Pius IX. He was the first non-Italian to serve in office since the Dutch-German Pope Adrian VI assumed the papacy in 1522. His reign experienced a rapid decline of Catholicism in industrialized nations and expansion in the third world. Pope John Paul II emphasized what he called the universal call to holiness and attempted to define the Catholic Church's role in the modern world. He was a strident supporter of Papal infallibility and opposed the concept of collegiality. He spoke out against communism, imperialism, materialism, Nazism, racism, oppression, secularism, feminism, poverty, and unrestrained capitalism. Although he was on friendly terms with many Western heads of state and leading citizens, he reserved a special opprobrium for what he believed to be the corrosive spiritual effects of modern Western consumerism and the concomitant widespread secular/hedonistic orientation of Western populations. He defined Catholic teachings on human life by opposing abortion, contraception, capital punishment, stem-cell research, human cloning, euthanasia and war. He also defended traditional teachings on marriage, sexuality, and gender roles by opposing divorce, same-sex unions and ordination of women. He opposed the full separation of church and state by calling upon Catholics to vote according to their religion. Pope John Paul II became known as the "Pilgrim Pope" for having travelled greater distances than all his predecessors have combined. According to John Paul II, the trips symbolized bridge-building efforts between nations and religions, attempting to remove divisions created through history. He allegedly canonized more people than all his predecessors combined, from many different cultures. Pope John Paul II died on 2 April 2005 after a long fight against Parkinson's disease and other illnesses. The public viewing of his body in St. Peter's Basilica drew over four million people to Vatican City and is most likely the largest single pilgrimage in the history of Christendom.

Looking Around



Sports



2004-2005 Women's Softball



2004-2005 Men's Baseball



2004-2005 Women's Basketball



2004-2005 Men's Basketball



2004-2005 Women's Soccer



2004-2005 Men's Soccer



2004-2005 Equestrian Team



GO TEAM

The 2004-2005 St. Joseph's College Equestrian Team is made up of twelve talented riders, who range in ability from beginner to advanced, and compete in a style of riding called Hunt Seat Equitation. There are classes of competition at each level, and the riders work to "class out," or move to the next level by earning 35 points. Each placing is worth a different number of points, with a blue ribbon, or first place, worth seven points, down to sixth place, which is worth one point. When not competing in Intercollegiate Horse Show Association (IHSA) shows at equestrian centers around Long Island and Connecticut, the team members work on their skills and perform exercises in weekly lessons at Good Shepherd Farm in Yaphank, their home stable. Coach Sheila Rodgers and Assistant Coach Susan Eisenberg help instill confidence in their riders as they give them the benefit of their combined years of experience.

The goal of St. Joseph's Equestrian Team members, like those of any other sports organization, is to win competitions. Unlike many other sports teams, however, individual members train to win ribbons in their particular class, individually, in addition to helping the team place overall. For a college to win in competition, no matter what size the team, they choose eight people to represent the college, from beginner on up to open. At its first show at its home stable, SJC placed first overall, and in subsequent meets, it placed second and third overall.

Like most other sports teams, the members must wear a uniform. In this case, it is an approved helmet, riding jacket, white high-collar shirt, gloves, crop and riding boots. The catch is, though, that each individual member must buy his or her own outfit, since very few schools provide them. The cost can be quite high, with a pair of pretty good show boots going for \$400 and up. A helmet can cost hundreds of dollars, also, which might be the reason horse showing and racing has always been known as "the sport of kings." There are five competitions during the fall season and usually the same number in the spring season. Of course, practice is held throughout the year, and, while held outdoors, they are canceled only if the weather is particularly bad. The colleges in St. Joseph's conference include: CW Post, Dowling College, Fairfield (CT), Hofstra University, Molloy College, Nassau County Community College, Sacred Heart College (CT), SUNY Stony Brook, St. John's University and Yale (CT). The skills that are judged are walking, trotting, cantering and jumping, but there are also intangibles that the judges look for which can make the difference between placing (winning a ribbon) or not. To make it even more interesting, the horses are drawn by lot, so the competitors do not know the horses they are riding until the morning of the show. That is part of the deal, however, because a rider is supposed to be able to handle any horse that comes along.

During an interview with Coach Rodgers, she said that the St. Joseph's Equestrian Team has been in existence since 1987. Since then, she has coached all of the teams, but has been an instructor for forty years. As a result, she is able to bring a great deal of experience to all the teams that she has coached. She and Assistant Coach Eisenberg have taught them a spirit for St. Joseph's College, as well as how to ride the best they can and to have fun while doing it.

Coach Rodgers said, "I enjoy working with the team and love that the students can have this experience."

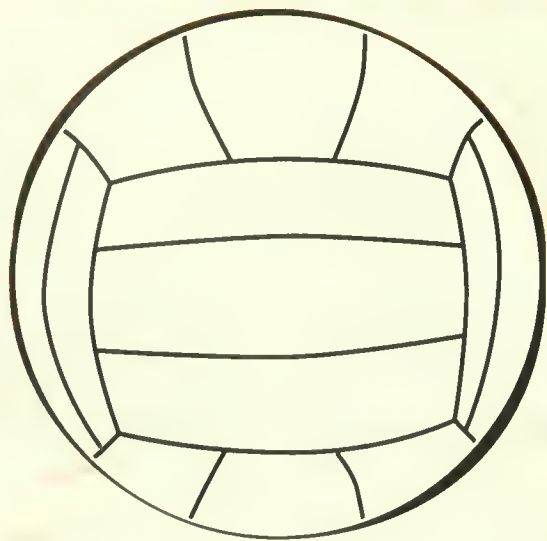
2004-2005 Women's Tennis



2004-2005 Women's Swim Team



2004-2005 Women's Volleyball



Clubs



STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

The Student Government Association has the responsibility of overseeing all of the clubs on campus. Helping each club executive board to coordinate their activities and guiding them to be able to lead their organizations to hold successful events is a hefty task. They also have the responsibility of providing information for all students on campus helping to make their voices heard. The Student Government Association would like to thank the clubs and organizations for all their hard work and dedication throughout the year.



Stephanie was quite honored at Honors Convocation.



*Marian Russo, Moderator · Stephanie Falco, President · Christen Gang, Vice-President
Heather Gerken, Secretary · Graceanne Wendelken, Treasurer*



A MESSAGE FOR YOU

To the Class of 2005,

The SGA girls would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you and wish you the best of luck in the future. We hope that your senior year, as well as all of your years at SJC have been fun and memorable. Never forget what life was like without the BT building or the other parking lots. Be ever grateful that you as a freshman did not have to park at Mt. Carmel and look back lovingly on a time when you were up registering for classes until 4 a.m. St. Joe's has grown so much in the past 4 years, as have all of you. We hope that you have gained not only a college diploma and a wonderful education, but learned life lessons and made lasting friendships.

Love,
Steph, Christen, Heather, and Graceanne

*I shall miss these things
When it all rolls by
—D.M.B.*



Suffolk and Brooklyn girls unite!

ACCOUNTING/BUSINESS SOCIETY

Bryan Gil, President

The Accounting/Business Society exists to serve as an asset to accounting and business majors on campus, and sponsors guest speakers and forums discussing related topics. The Society co-sponsors the Career Fair, and in March, for the second time, they hosted the Brentwood High School Jazz Band performance in the auditorium. Accounting and business majors are eligible for membership in Delta Mu Delta, the business honor society.



ART CLUB

Kimberly Barcia, President

The purpose is to broaden the students' horizon in the fine arts. In October, the Art Club held the annual Pumpkin Carving Contest, which was open to all SJC clubs and students. Though first prizes were given to the overall best student and club pumpkin, everyone was a winner because all who entered got free candy!



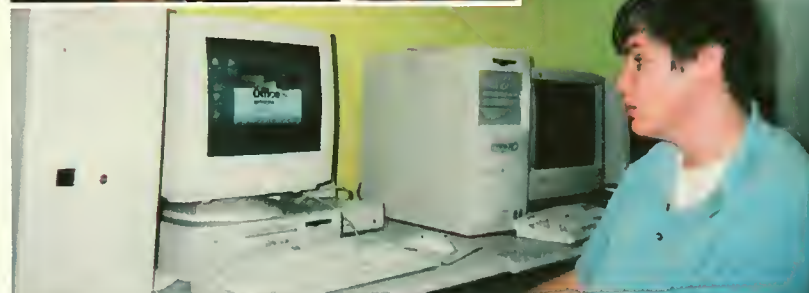
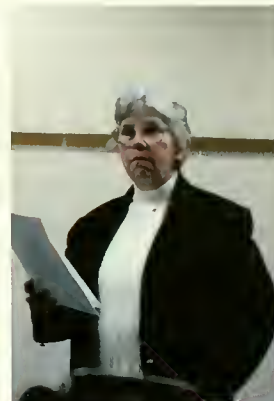
ASSOCIATION FOR COMPUTING MACHINERY

Loriann Horstman, President

The mission of St. Joseph's College student chapter of the Association for Computing Machinery is to provide an extracurricular environment to accommodate the interests of students interested in Computer Science and Computer Information Systems. The SJC student chapter of the ACM is also affiliated with an Honor Society for students in the Computing Disciplines at St. Joseph's College called Upsilon Pi Epsilon.

The Association for Computing Machinery has done a lot so far in what will be its first full year on campus. Last Spring, our members supervised the annual High School Programming Competition; helped with the Math Millionaire, a game similar to "Who Wants to be a Millionaire" but uses math questions; and participated in Spring Fling. This year we have gone above.

In just the fall semester alone we held two fundraisers, a Thanksgiving lollipop sale and our "Buy a Computer to Build a Computer" campaign. Thanks to these two fundraisers we were able to raise over \$100. This money along with donations from the college community helped us to be able to completely build two computers to be donated to families during the holidays. This let us do what we do best, while being able to give back to the community. We also participated in Club Fair and Fall Fest as well as supported other club events on campus. During the first month of the Spring Semester we held a fundraiser where we sold Mardi Gras Beads the week before Mardi Gras. The proceeds from this fundraiser will go towards Tsunami relief funds. We will again be helping with the math millionaire, a Casino Night with Matrix, Resume Workshops . . . and that is just the beginning. The Upsilon Pi Epsilon computer science Honor Society is sponsored by ACM and open to students working towards a degree in the Computing and Information Disciplines who rank within the top 35% of their major. For more information about the St Josephs College student chapter of ACM, visit our web page at <http://www.geocities.com/sjcacm/> or email the officers at sjcacm@yahoo.com.



Here's Jeff with a computer ACM built for a family in need.

Upsilon Pi Epsilon



BIOLOGY CLUB

Bridget DeAngelo, President

The Biology Club is dedicated to giving students a first hand look at the modern aspects of Biological Sciences and how to apply them to everyday life. The Bio Club emphasizes a role on ensuring the well being of the school and its environment. The club sponsors field trips to various genetics laboratories and medical examiners' offices, as well as offering tutoring to all students in biology classes. This club is open to all students.

THE CLUB'S 2004-05 EVENTS

- Co-sponsored three blood drives with Student Services
- Pasta Dinner and Bingo Night for the Grace Peshkur Foundation
- Letter writing campaign which sent over 100 letters to troops in Iraq and elderly in nursing homes
- Tutoring
- Earth Day
- Guest Speakers

The photos shown here were taken at Grace's Bingo Night.



B.S.N. CLUB

Sue Ellen Laino, President



The B.S.N. Club involves the registered nurses enrolled in the Bachelor of Nursing Program, assisted by the club's moderator, Professor Carlstrom. The officers of the club consist of the President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. In December 2004, the club celebrated the graduation of President Sue Ellen Laino and Vice-President Trish Nadraus, and is looking forward to electing new members to join Secretary/Treasurer Freddie King.

The B.S.N. Club meets once a month in room 322A, Professor Carlstrom's office, and has the Web site <http://faculty.sjcnj.edu/~carlstrom> to announce news, events, and links to other Web sites, as well as list the current officers and their e-mail addresses. The purpose of the B.S.N. Club is to 1.) foster the development of leadership qualities, 2.) strengthen commitment to the ideals and purposes of the profession, 3.) provide a support system for existing and new students, 4.) provide the college community services to increase health awareness, 5.) disseminate information to enrich student life, and 6.) encourage outreach to the local and global community. The club also has a bulletin and information board across from room 322A to update students about the club, upcoming events, and educational opportunities, and to post the minutes from previous meetings.

CAMPUS ACTIVITIES BOARD

Moderators: Diane Perillo & Marian Russo

Program Coordinator: Peggy Neidart

Off-Campus Coordinator: Joanna Russo

Special Events Coordinator: Stanley Hanscom
 Stacey Katt
 Lisa Lawrence
 Allison Nordin
 Kara Trias



Stanley, Kara, Allison, Diane, Stacey, Peggy, Joanna, and Lisa

The Campus Activities Board provides the St. Joseph's College community with endless opportunities outside the classroom. C.A.B. brings new and enthusiastic events to our campus every semester, including bands, ice cream socials, a capella groups, magicians, comedy nights, hypnotists, game shows, holiday parties, Spring Fling, Welcome Back BBQ, and much more. Between the hard working executives and dedicated staff members, we do our part to keep the college life alive. During the 2004-2005 school year, C.A.B. has been diligently working to raise funds for our annual Bowl-A-Thon. Proceeds are being donated to the Grace Peshkur Foundation, Inc.



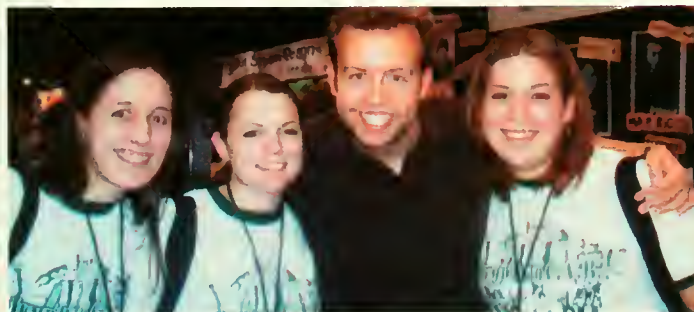
Welcome Back BBQ, Fall 2004



Six Flags Great Adventure Fright Fest, October 2004



Mike Super, Magician



Kyle Cease, Comedian



CHILD STUDY CLUB

Melissa Puglia, President

The Child Study Club is a club for prospective teachers, and those with a love for children. Activities include the annual Chinese Auction at Fall Fest, Helping Hands Christmas Party for children in the Help Suffolk Shelter in Bellport, as well as visits to local hospitals, shelters, and workshops.

COUNCIL FOR THE EXCEPTIONAL CHILD

Shannon Mollica, President

The C.E.C. is part of a national organization in which members are advocates for children with special needs. Joining this club allows students to gain the newest information on a world of special education, while helping children at the same time.

CURRENTS CLUB

Nick Pappas, President

The Currents Club encourages discussion and debate of current events. They also encourage attendance at cultural events.



DANCE CLUB

Jennifer Macaluso, President

No dance experience is necessary to join the Dance Club! This is a club for those wishing to meet new people and have fun. Events include a performance at Fall Fest and the annual Lunchbox Concert that is held in the spring.



Dance Club executives.



DELTA PSI OMEGA

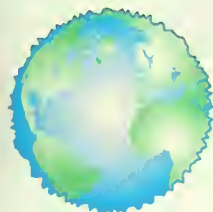


Andrew Saidler, President

Delta Psi Omega was founded on November 4, 1996, by for young men with an inspiration . . . an idea that has developed into something remarkable. Through determination (Delta), persistence (Psi), and omniscience (Omega), this fraternity has become one of the most successful, ongoing organizations at St. Joseph's College. Delta is an organization of diverse men who are determined to make a difference in their community.



DIVERSITY UNION



Lourdes Mondoza, President

The Diversity Union promotes multicultural enrichment of the St. Joseph's community. The Union presents various special programs throughout the year, including musical performances and, in October 2004, a visit from award-winning author John Leonard Harris.

DRAMA SOCIETY



Jennifer Pipitone, President



A creative outlet for students with a love of the theatre. For those interested in sharing their talents on or off the stage. The Drama Society puts on one show per semester, which is open for all students to audition.

ENGLISH CLUB

Krystal Schweimler, President



English Club officers.

Eileen Ryan, Vice-President . . . Kristine Sabie, Secretary . . . Marguerite Goglia, Treasurer . . . Moderators: Mark Ricciardi and Judith Phagan Erik Plaskon was a HUGE help to us in the fall semester (he graduated!). We did the Open Mic Night in the fall, which was very successful. We also published one issue of the Righteous Herald with student submissions. We had meetings every other Wednesday last semester, changed them to Tuesday during Common Hour for this semester . . . we're planning on Medieval Times trip in April.

HISTORY CLUB

Theresa Teja, President

The History Club strives to reach out to the whole college community as well as its surrounding communities through the use of our organization. The history club aims to provide the St. Joseph's community with an informative yet exciting approach to spreading the joys of learning about all forms of current and past times.

LAMBDA PSI IOTA

ΛΨΙ

Jennifer Healy, President

This sorority aims to establish a loyal sisterhood among its members through bonds of friendship and service to the college and the community. Lambda Psi Iota recently hosted their 2nd annual Psychic Night. It was extremely successful with much thanks to Josephine Ghiringheli and all the sisters involved. All the proceeds were donated to Adopt-a-Child foundation.



MATRIX CLUB



The Matrix Club is for students interested in activities involving Math and Computer Science. Events include trips to the Long Island Tech Center, weekly math contests and programming competitions.

Nicole Acosta, President

MENTORING CIRCLE

Joselle Cespe, President

An organization similar to 'Big Brother Big Sister'. Students are involved in mentoring elementary students in the Patchogue-Medford School District in an after-school program. Join... and make a difference in a child's life!

MUSIC CLUB

Jennifer Koch, President

The traditional music club of St. Joseph's College New York is synonymous with our Concert/Jazz Band, providing performing opportunities to students and bringing live music to events during the academic year at Open House, Christmas Caroling, a December Concert, and a May Concert.



N.S.S.L.H.A.

Melissa Brown, President

The National Student Speech-Language Hearing Association, (aka the Speech Pathology Club) is for speech majors and concentrations. Get inside information in the field of speech pathology and audiology. Obtain valuable graduate information while listening to guest speakers and networking with fellow students.

PSYCHOLOGY CLUB

Jalene Pastore, President

A group with a mission to study various paradigms of psychology throughout informal faculty lectures, as well as through charitable community services.

RECREATION CLUB

Lauren McNulty, President

The Recreation Club is available to both Recreation majors and SJC students at large. The Club members are actively involved in many programs throughout the academic year. Previous activities and events include Alumni carnival, campus Blood Drive, and preparing meals for homebound and hospitalized individuals.

S.H.R.M.

Jack Lafferty, President



SHRM serves the needs of the human resource management professional by providing the most essential and comprehensive set of resources available. In addition, the Society is committed to advancing the human resource profession and the capabilities of all human resource professionals to ensure that HR is an essential and effective partner in developing and executing organizational strategy.

SOCIAL SCIENCES CLUB

Grace LoCurto, Vice-President . . . Kristine Sean Vlahov, Secretary . . .
Michael Fernandez, Treasurer . . . Moderators: Mark Ricciardi and Judith Phagan

The Social Science Club is an innovated club open to students of all disciplines to boost awareness and knowledge through discussions and networking of contemporary social issues. Additional tasks include open discussions on issues, guest speakers, debate forums and charitable fundraising.



SIGMA XI EPSILON

ΣΞΕ

Joseph Pugliese, President

The Sigma Xi Epsilon Fraternity celebrated its founding during the fall 2004 semester, and became active in January, through the efforts of three founders and 10 other members of the charter class. The Alpha class, consisting of 3 men, entered in the spring. The mission of the fraternity is to embrace all positive ideas of those interested in our cause. Our goal as a fraternity is to form a common bond amongst brothers based on virtues of charity, unity, social responsibility and brotherhood. We hope to host a number of charity events. We, as a fraternity, encourage and strive for diversity on all levels: diverse nationalities and ethnic backgrounds, diverse cultures, and most of all, diverse ideas.



ZETA SIGMA PHI

ZΣΦ

Renee Michel, President



Zeta Sigma Phi strives to establish bonds of sisterhood among women of our college with common goals and interests. Together our individual hands hold the seven values and ideals of our sisterhood: Leadership, Trust, Loyalty, Dedication, Determination, Character and Friendship. Each sister is a shining star exemplifying our motto: "Friends are like stars, you may not always see them but you know they're always there."



Jessica Artura, President

Students Taking an Active Role in Society (STARS) is comprised of those students who wish to make a difference in the lives of others. STARS reaches out to instill concern for the rights and dignity of the human person, especially the poor and most vulnerable in both the local and global community. As St. Joseph's College challenges us to live a life of integrity, service, social responsibility, intellectual, and spiritual values, there is no better way to achieve this than by being a student taking an active role in society.

STARS has sponsored many events this year that challenge our responsibility to our community. On National Make a Difference Day, the third Saturday in October, STARS sponsored a "Kids Carnival" featuring crafts, games, pony rides, lunch and snacks, an obstacle course and a haunted house. We extended an invitation to over 1,000 children from our local school districts and hosted this event for free.

For the holiday season, STARS sponsored a food and gift-giving drive servicing 75 families all over Long Island. On campus, we hosted a number of events geared to bring awareness to injustices in society. Our Hunger Banquet illustrated the inequalities among the social classes due to circumstances very often out of the control of the individual. During February, African-American History Month, STARS held a Common Hour cafeteria concert featuring reggae music with a Caribbean beat, as well as participated in a number of campus events that featured members of our diverse community. This spring, STARS will be participating in "Alex's Lemonade Stand" and the Footsteps Toward Hope Ovarian Cancer Walkathon, both of which will raise funds for cancer research.



Drink Please . . . STARS treasurer Krystal Riegel enjoys serving some refreshments at Comedy Night on November 5, 2004



Girls just want to have fun . . . Three members of the Psychology Club participate in Make a Difference Day.



Brrr it's cold out here . . . Leading the way are four Shining STAR executives: President Jessica Artura, Vice-President Alannah Plank, Secretary Alyssa Malave, and Treasurer Krystal Riegel on National Make a Difference Day, October 23



Say cheese! It is time to dress up and have your picture taken with a Disney character. SGA takes their time out to share their day taking some pictures with all the children.



On with the Show . . . STARS members and our moderator Sister Suzanne Franck posing for a quick picture before the show begins.



Got art? Come on over and design a bag with some of our shining STARS members.



Lean on me . . . Two friends Nicole and Jessica anxiously await under the tent for all the children to arrive on National Make a Difference Day.



Food Here . . . STARS members are selling some delicious treats before a hilarious comedy show

THE TALON

Brooke Tricola & Briana Raimondo, Editors

The Talon is the award-winning official newspaper of St. Joseph's College. In 2004 we celebrated our 16th anniversary! At the same time, while maintaining excellent journalistic standards, we completely re-designed the paper, bringing the Talon up to modern standards for a college publication.

After the graduation of long-time staffers Carol Kalamaras and Jennifer Torchetti in the spring of 2004, Brooke Tricola took over as editor-in-chief in September. Brooke helped to re-energize the office during the re-design stage, and the staff was overjoyed for her as she wed Mike Bove in November shortly before her graduation. At that time, Briana Raimondo served as copy editor, Joseph Macellaro as layout editor, and Christina D'Eletto as sports editor, in addition to several staff writers and photographers.

In the spring semester, Briana claimed Brooke's desk as her own. Christina moved up to the position of copy editor, and staff member Krystal Schweimler assumed the role of entertainment editor. Joey kept his layout position. The Winter 2005 issue was a special Literary Edition with poems, stories, photos, and artwork from students and staff.

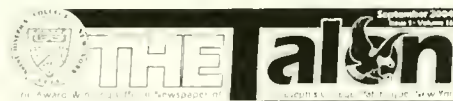
The Talon is here to stay . . . so stop back sometime and pick up a copy!



Krystal, Christina, Brooke, and Joey, in the fall.



Joey, Krystal, Briana, and Christina, in the spring.



STEP SQUAD



YEARBOOK

Tara Coppola '05, Editor

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This special 25th-anniversary edition of Horizons would not have been possible without the help of a countless number of people, in every department of St. Joseph's College. For the last four graduating classes, the Patchogue campus did not publish a yearbook, and the College knew this just was not right. The students whose names you see above, as well as Professor Hong, Matt Stucchio, Marian Russo and her Student Services associates, and many, many other students and staff people, have spent much time over the last two years dusting off the old yearbook supplies, moving back into the old office, getting the cameras out, and getting back to work.

This effort would not be possible, however, if it were not for Sister Joan Ryan, Research Librarian, and Anna Bess Robinson, Director of Counseling and Career Services, whose gentle prodding persuaded Joey to get some people together to get something good accomplished for their school. Horizons 2005 has truly been a labor of love.

We hope you enjoy this book and keep it close to you in the coming years. We know it's not perfect . . . this is something new to all of us! . . . but we tried. Thank you, and good luck to you, the Class of 2005.

THE EDITORS



A yearbook photographer is always prepared to shoot geese outside the office window.



Amanda, Tara, Steve, Audra, and Joey, outside room B-10, where cruch-time meetings were held every Monday and Wednesday in the spring! Not pictured: Christine and Charlotte.

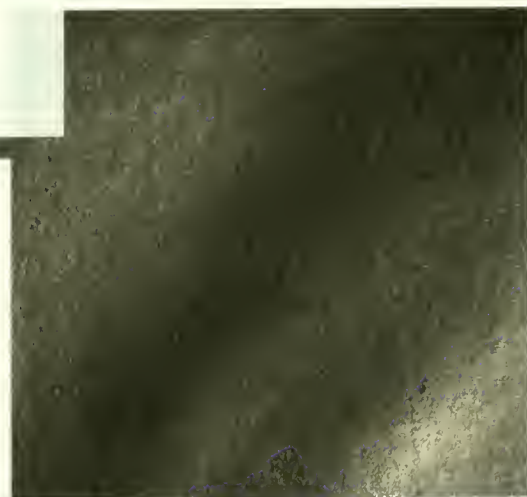


The Yearbook Club was founded in room N307 back in February 2004. That room soon became the new Academic Center, so meetings moved to N309 in the fall 2004 semester. After that we moved back into our old room, N224.





Senior Wills







TESTAMENT

Sarah, what should I leave you is all the trips to RHD, spending the money neither of us had and still don't have. Nights at Riverside and of course the always fun Saturday mornings. Pushing me and listening to me complain about every teacher and homework assignment. And of course making sense out of everything.

Jessica, well let us see, for a little sister you are a very interesting person. Continue on with your life with your creative ways and strange habits. I wouldn't leave you any part of this school, because it wouldn't mean anything. Thank you for listening to me complain, or at least pretending to listen. Rides to dance were always fun and at time odd, going to dance next year will not be the same. There will be nobody to chat with while the others talk about whatever it is they talk about. Good luck in college & make your experience better than mine.

Erica, wow we made it through another four years of school. How many more to go? It seems like it is never ending, but it will all be worth it in the end. Good luck with everything you do. Classes, dance club, trips to the bank.

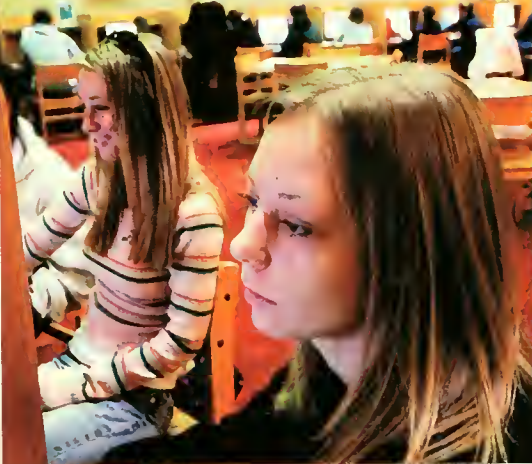
To everyone else I have talked to and complained with about professors and classes. Good luck with whatever you end up doing and wherever the road takes you.

Good luck and Congratulations to the class of 2005. I know I have not left behind much, but I feel as if I do not have much to leave. Or maybe I leave behind everything and am glad to be moving on. I take with me all of my memories of my friends and the teaching experiences I had. It was an interesting four years that will never be forgotten. To anyone who thought I wouldn't make it, here I am in 2005, graduating with the class I started with and with the diploma I wanted and worked so hard to get.

Land Before Time
Dinosaurs
Fern Gully
Gummi Bears
Care Bears
My Little Pony
Black Beauty
Candyland
Sorry!
Trouble
Don't Wake Daddy
Mousetrap
Jenga
Don't Break the Ice
Hungry Hungry Hippos
Cooties
Polly Pocket (back when she was
pocket-sized)
Hypercolor T-Shirts
Lite Brite
Sky Dancers
Scrunchies
Side Ponytails
Saddle Shoes
Barbies
Beanie Babies

Tamagotchies
Yo-Yos
Choose Your Own Adventure
Pogs
Goosebumps
Magic Attic Club
American Girl
Island of the Blue Dolphin
Saved By The Bell
Full House
Step By Step
TGIF on ABC
Sabrina, the Teenage Witch
Boy Meets World
Clueless
Mork and Mindy
Simpsons
Flipper
Growing Pains
Family Ties
Titanic
Jonathan Taylor Thomas
Home Improvement
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Kenan and Kel
Hanson

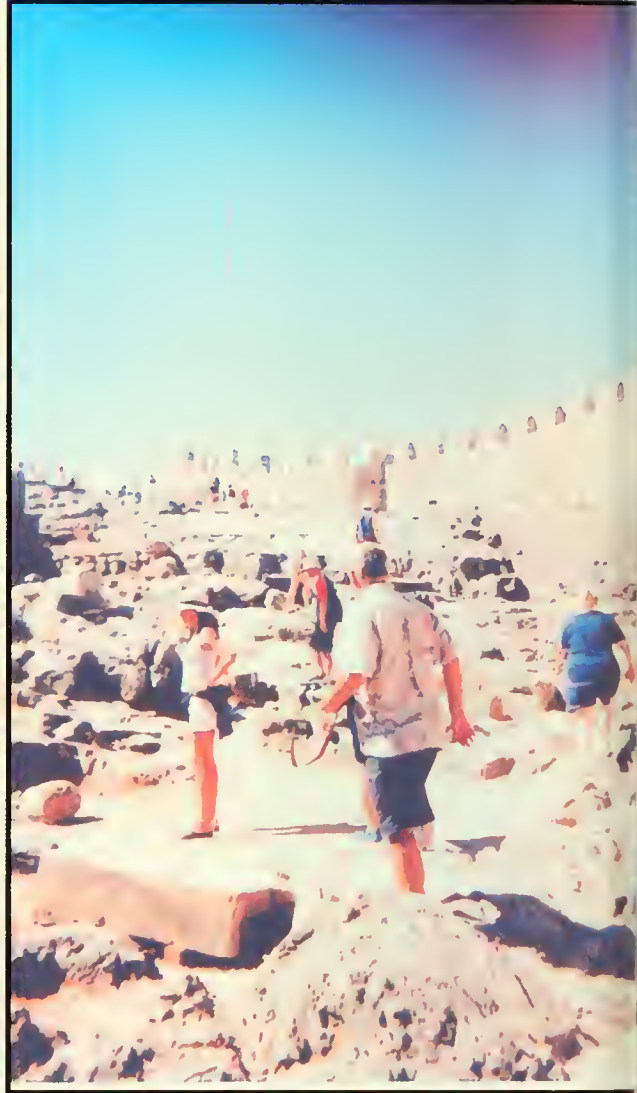
Inspector Gadget
Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles
Power Rangers
Hot Wheels
Creepy Crawlers
Easy Bake Oven
Weinerville
Rainbow Fish
Boxcar Kids
Ramona Quimby
Amber Brown
Allegra's Window
Spice Girls
Bananas In Pajamas
Gumby!
Who's the Boss
Muppets Movies
Rescue 911
Sister, Sister
Doug
Disney Vault
Ghost Writer
Bump In The Night
David and the Gnomes
The Smurfs
Thomas The Tank Engine



Special Events



Greece Trip



June 27th - July 5th



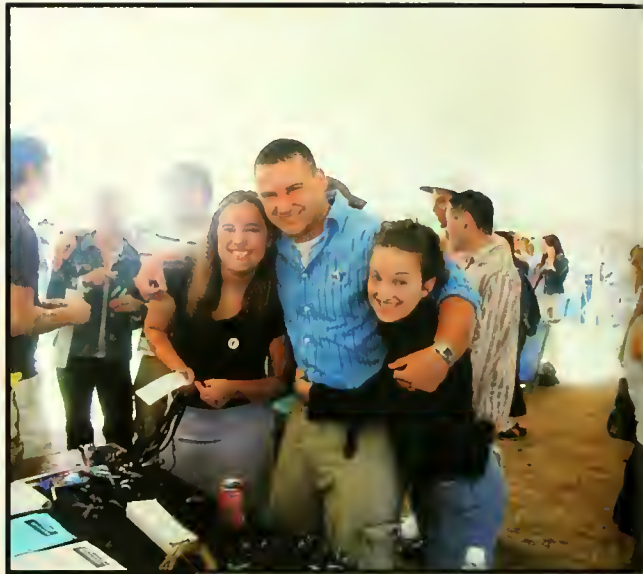
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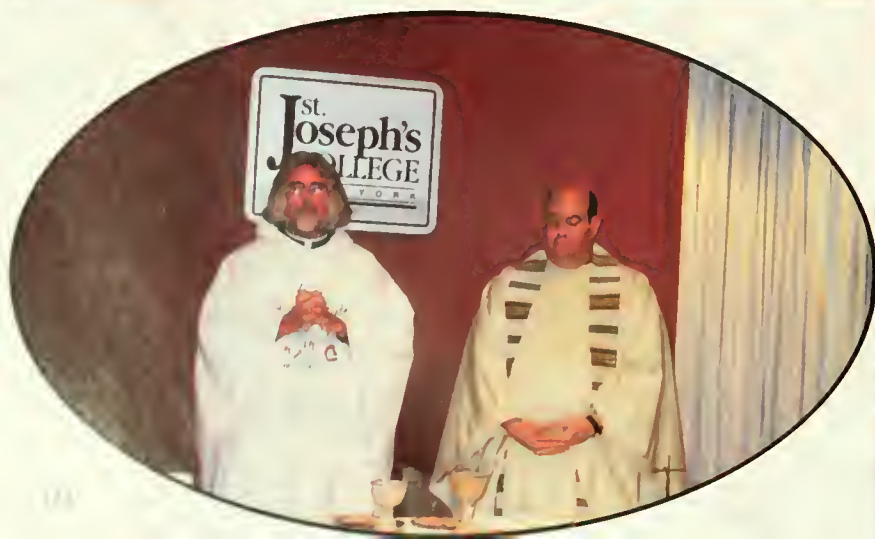
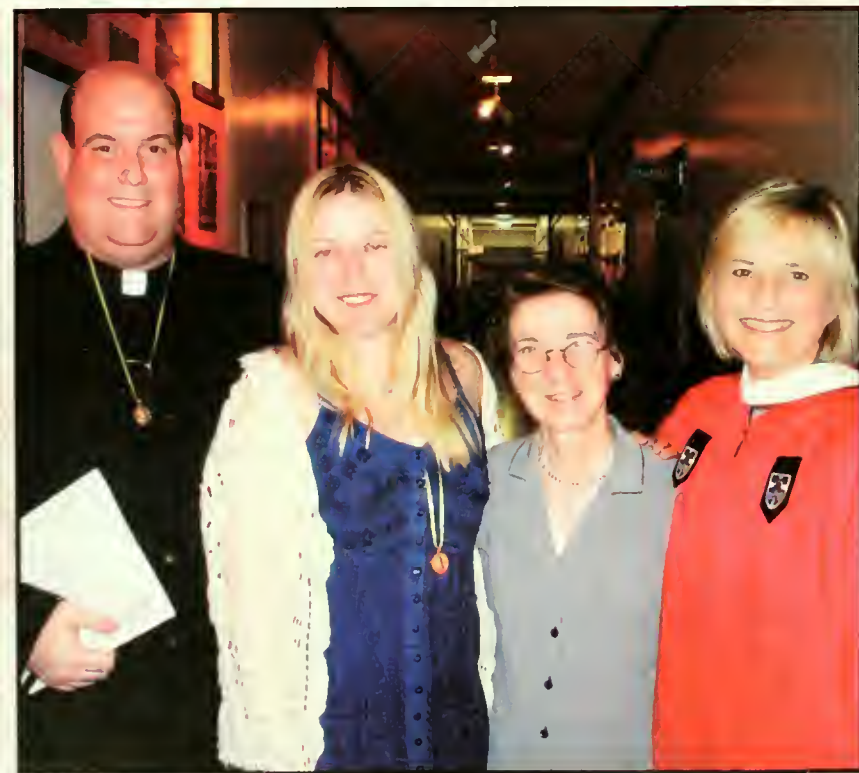


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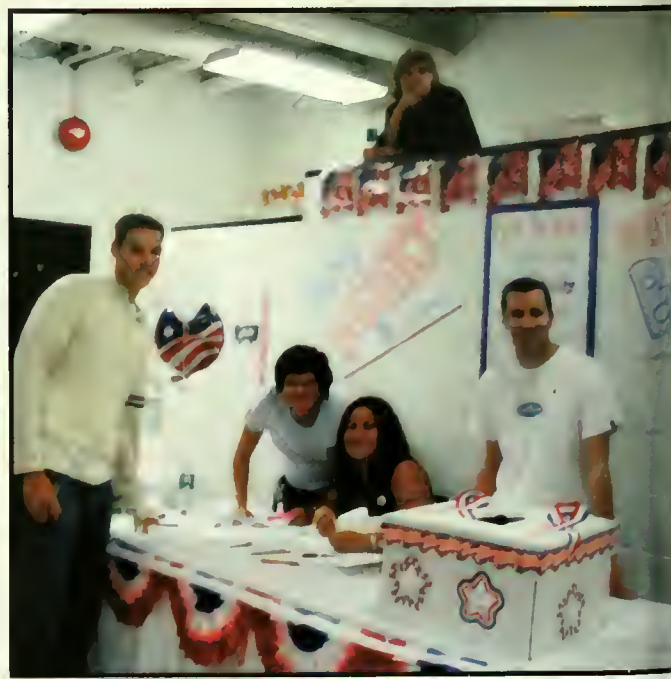
Honors Convocation



Moderator Luncheon



Rock the Vote



Upsilon Pi Epsilon Computer Honor Society Induction April 9, 2005



Campus Life



The shortest distance between two points is not always a straight line.

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Welcome Back, Class of 2005!



I would like to congratulate Tara, Steve, Joey, Audra, Charlotte, Professor Hong, and anyone else that I forgot... who had the desire to bring back a yearbook to St. Joes, and worked so tirelessly to see its completion! **GREAT JOB!!!**



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The Yearbook staff would like to thank all the people who had the vision to help us bring back a book that has not been here since 2000. These people went above and beyond to help us get this project done:

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Marian Russo

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Republican incumbent George W. Bush narrowly defeats Democratic challenger John Kerry in the hotly contested 2004 presidential election.

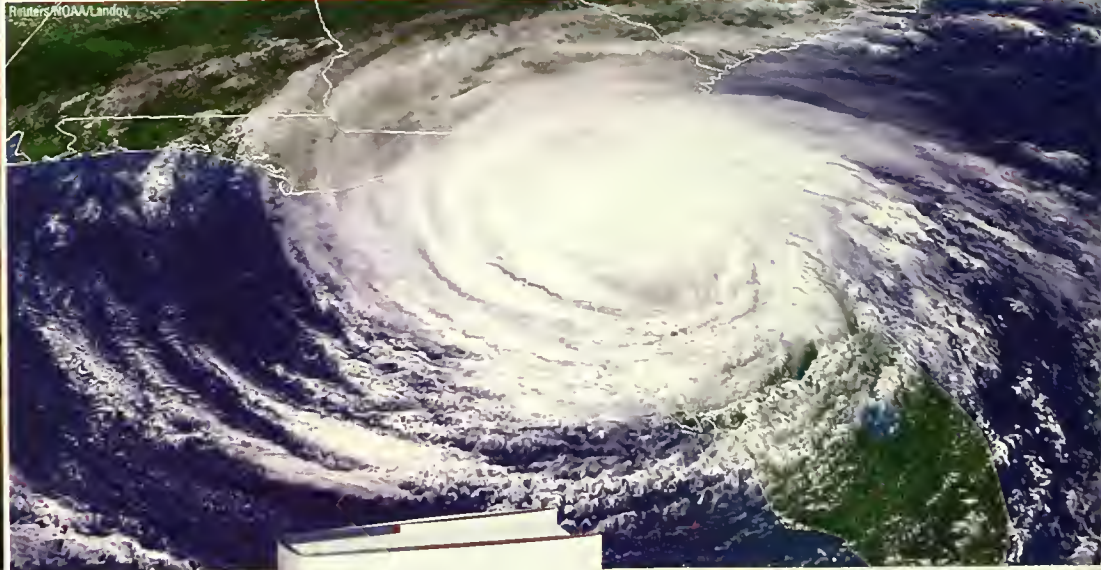
Despite assurances that its nuclear program intentions are peaceful, Iran voluntarily suspends its uranium enrichment activities in the face of protests from NATO and the U.S.

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Five hurricanes hit the Caribbean Sea, Florida and the southeastern U.S. coast in the fall of 2004, causing \$25 billion in damages.

Reuters/NOAA/Landov



Bebeja Matthews/AP/Wide World Photos

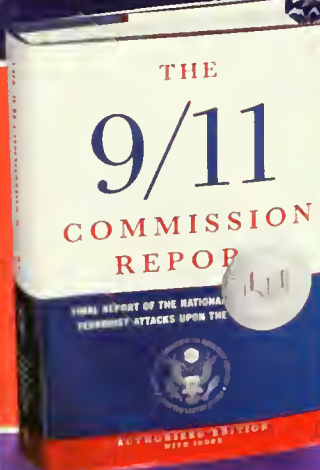


Lifestyle guru Martha Stewart begins serving a five-month jail sentence in West Virginia, after being found guilty of lying about a suspicious stock sale.

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Ronald Wilson Reagan, 40th president of the United States, dies in June at the age of 93.



In July, the Bipartisan 9/11 Commission releases its report of circumstances surrounding the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks.

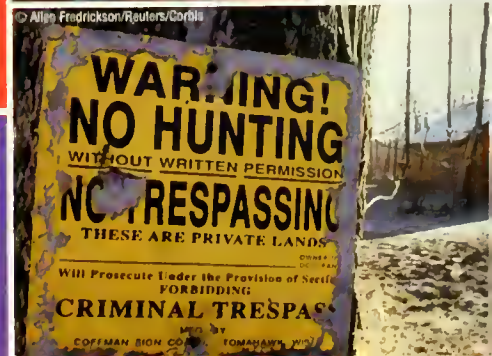
Strong partisan division over issues at stake throughout the 2004 presidential campaign results in record turnout of voters under 21.

In November, Minnesotan Chai Vang allegedly shoots and kills six hunters and wounds two others after he is caught trespassing on a hunting platform in Wisconsin.

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Tom Ridge leaves his position as secretary of homeland security.



Health and Human Services Secretary Tommy Thompson resigns.



Secretary of State Colin Powell steps down.



Attorney General John Ashcroft relinquishes his cabinet post.

Ribbon-shaped magnetic stickers urging people to "Support Our Troops" appear on countless American cars.

National Security Adviser Condoleezza Rice makes history as the first black female to become secretary of state when she succeeds Colin Powell.

Coalition troops face a persistent terrorist insurgency leading up to the Iraq presidential election in January 2005. The war costs the lives of over 1,400 coalition troops, as well as over 14,000 Iraqi civilians.

Support Our Troops



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In the trial of the year, California jurors find Scott Peterson guilty of the first-degree murder of his pregnant wife, Laci, and second-degree murder of their unborn son.



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More than 220,000 lives are lost after a massive earthquake in December off Indonesia's coast causes a tsunami that smashes coastlines in Southern Asia and as far away as Somalia.

The Center for Disease Control's Youth Risk Behavior Survey finds 8.1 percent of teenagers surveyed have tried steroids as compared to 2.7 percent in 1991.



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In response to the investigation by the Bipartisan 9/11 Commission, the U.S. Senate passes the National Intelligence Reform Act



PROTECTING AMERICA

science-techno



Portable photo printers that do not require a computer are a hot item for digital camera owners.

Hong Kong-based toymaker Wow Wee Ltd. sells 1.5 million Robosapiens since the toy's introduction in April. Among other "talents," the \$100 robot can belch and pass gas on command.

The Food and Drug Administration links the use of antidepressants such as Zoloft, Paxil and Prozac to suicidal behavior in teens.

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SpaceShipOne, the world's first privately developed spacecraft, is named "2004 Invention of the Year" by *Time* magazine.

Apple's iPod is the year's hottest tech gadget, fashion accessory and advertising personality, all in one credit-card-size package.



Noah Berger/Bloomberg News/Landov

After four years on the market and billions of dollars in revenue, pharmaceutical company Merck recalls the arthritis drug Vioxx due to increased risk for cardiovascular disease.

General Motors releases the industry's first full-size gas-electric hybrid pickup truck, the Chevrolet Silverado.

Toshiba's HD DVD and Sony's Blu-ray battle for supremacy over the next generation of DVD technology. Major movie studios are evenly divided in their backing of the two technologies.



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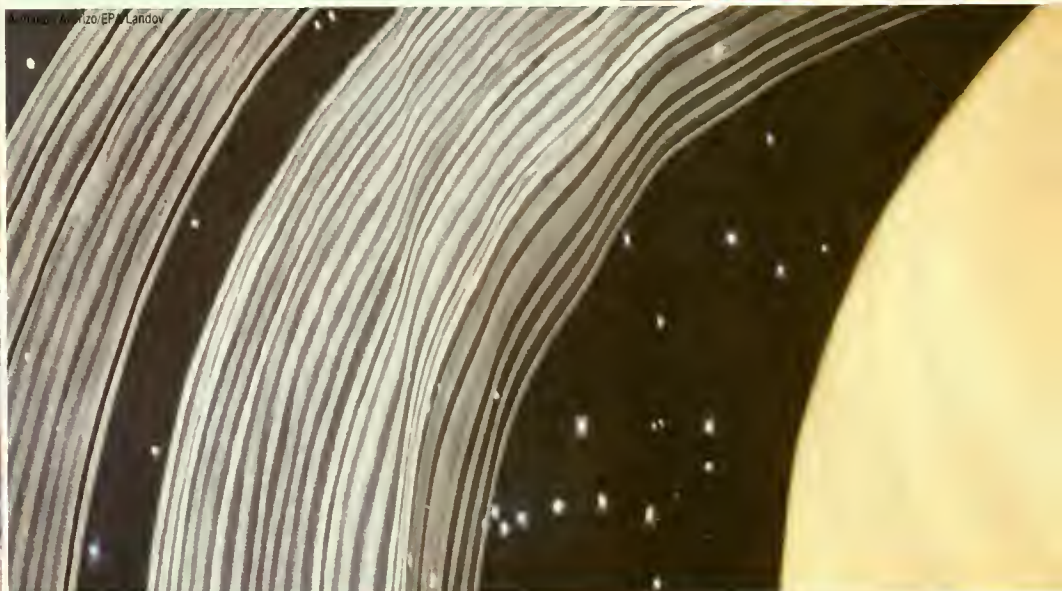


➤ African lions join the endangered species list because they are being killed to protect domestic livestock and their habitats are being destroyed.



John H. Johnson, 1878-1968

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A large volcano erupting with a massive plume of ash and smoke. The volcano is dark brown and rugged, with a large, billowing cloud of white ash and smoke rising from its crater. The sky is blue with some white clouds. The foreground shows the steep, rocky slopes of the volcano.

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A close-up photograph of two polar bears. The bear in the foreground is looking directly at the camera with its mouth slightly open. The second bear is positioned behind it, also looking towards the camera. The background is a snowy, icy landscape.

A close-up photograph of two human skulls. The skull on the left is white with some brownish stains. The skull on the right is yellowed and has handwritten markings '112' and 'C' on its forehead. Both skulls show signs of age and wear.

On a remote island in Indonesia, scientists find 18,000-year-old skeletons of a hobbit-like human species that grew no larger than today's average three-year-old child.

trends



Retro brooches are back



Ugg knockoffs are popular



Squish pillows are a "must-have"



Pink is the hot new color



Knitted ponchos are fall's hottest new fashion trend, gracing the shoulders of your classmates and your favorite celebrities.

Pocket bikes top holiday wish lists despite safety warnings that they are not toys.

Airbrush tans, capable of lasting five to 14 days, provide a fashionable and safer alternative to harmful ultra-violet rays.

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Italian link charm bracelets become the biggest jewelry trend of the year.



Whether genuine or ordered new from a custom T-shirt store on the Web, vintage '80s iron-on T-shirts are a hot fashion commodity.

Catch phrases used to encourage people to get out and vote become a fashionable cause, appearing on everything from T-shirts to ties.

Thanks to the popular movie *Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story*, the high-flying, body-bashing sport makes its way back into gymnasiums across the country.



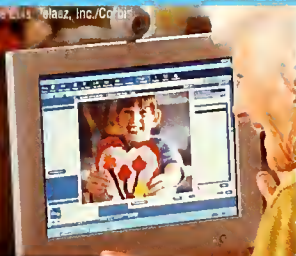
The "grunge" style of the early '90s resurfaces with camouflage patterns and T-shirts with long-sleeve shirts underneath.



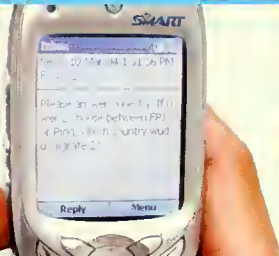
lifestyle



Latin dancing



Video e-mail



Text messaging



Online gaming



Soft-drink makers join the diet bandwagon with low-carb sodas like Coca-Cola C2 and Pepsi Edge. Sales of the new products, however, quickly go flat.

With more than 7 million participants, paintball is the third most popular extreme sport, behind in-line skating and skateboarding.

Muscle cars like the revamped Ford Mustang GT regain their presence on American roads.



Fast-food restaurants offer kids' meals with healthy alternatives to fries and soda, including apples and milk.

The scrapbooking craze reaches new heights with more people wanting to capture their memories in creative ways.

With DVDs delivered right to your door and no late fees, Netflix and Blockbuster Online become popular choices for movie rentals.



Bucking the health trend, Hardee's serves up a Monster Thickburger with 1,420 calories and 107 grams of fat.

Events like the All Girl Skate Jam, founded in 1997, bring skateboarding to peak popularity among young girls.



movies



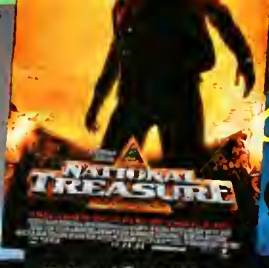
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Napoleon Dynamite



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Star Wars: Episode III—Revenge of the Sith



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National Treasure



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The SpongeBob SquarePants Movie



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Jim Carrey and Kate Winslet garner Golden Globe nominations for *Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind*, which also earns a nod for Best Picture, Musical or Comedy.

Johnny Depp scores his second straight Oscar nomination for Best Actor with his performance in *Finding Neverland*.

Shrek 2 ranks third on the list of the 100 top-grossing movies, with a total haul of just over \$436 million.



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The Incredibles, Pixar and Disney's movie about a superhero family trying to live a normal life in the suburbs, is a box-office smash.

Clint Eastwood directs another hit with *Million Dollar Baby*, starring Hilary Swank as a 31-year-old boxer.

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Jamie Foxx delivers an eerily convincing and Oscar-nominated performance as the late Ray Charles in *Ray*.

Already named best picture by film critics from New York to Los Angeles, independent film *Sideways* finds even more celebrity with a leading seven Golden Globe nominations.

The Aviator, starring Leonardo DiCaprio in the role of eccentric billionaire Howard Hughes, earns eleven Oscar nominations.



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television



NBC's "Joey"



"Seinfeld" is released on DVD



The WB's "One Tree Hill"



ABC's "Wife Swap"



Ty Pennington and company improve lives while making homes better on the successful ABC home improvement show "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition."

Fox's "Arrested Development" wins the Emmy for Best Comedy Series after an inaugural year that is critically acclaimed but poorly rated.

Stephen, "Lo," Kristen and friends bring their real Orange County adventures to MTV in the hit reality show "Laguna Beach."

Rodrigo Varela/WireImage.com



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"You're fired!" becomes a household phrase as Donald Trump plows through executive wannabes on his hit NBC show, "The Apprentice."

ABC gets big ratings from its new hit drama "Lost," the intriguing story of 48 plane crash survivors stranded on an island.



Pausing and recording live television with DVR is rapidly replacing VCRs in households across America.

Before his unbelievable 74-game winning streak comes to an end, NBC's "Jeopardy!" contestant Ken Jennings wins \$2,520,700 — a TV game show record. He delivers over 2,700 correct responses.



To kick off her 19th season of CBS's "The Oprah Winfrey Show," Oprah and Pontiac join forces to give each of the 276 audience members a brand new Pontiac G6.

music



Gina Gayle/AP/Wide World Photos

Destiny's Child reunites



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Joss Stone



Julie Roberts



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Green Day



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Ray Charles dies at age 73



With bands like Interpol, The Killers and Snow Patrol, alternative rock returns to the mainstream music scene in a big way.

U2's new album *How to Dismantle an Atomic Bomb* hits No. 1 in *Billboard* magazine, and the band is inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in March 2005.



Rapper Kanye West collects a whopping 10 Grammy nominations, including Album of the Year, for his debut *The College Dropout*.



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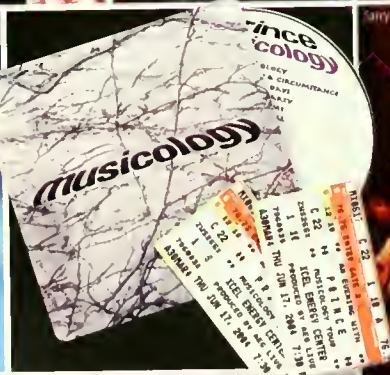


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Nelly continues to wrap up big sales and hit songs with the simultaneous release of his two albums, *Sweat and Suit*.



Pop superstar Prince gives his concert ticket-holders something to cheer about before the concerts start ... a free copy of his *Musicology* CD.

Ashlee Simpson, Jessica's younger sister, makes headlines with her triple-platinum debut album *Autobiography* and a lip-synching gaffe on NBC's "Saturday Night Live."



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Legendary '80s alternative rock band The Pixies, known for inspiring "grunge" music, reunites after 13 years for a sold-out U.S. and European tour.



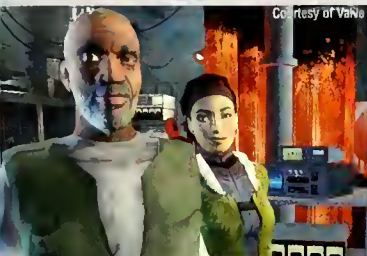
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In December, Usher dominates the *Billboard* Music Awards, taking home 11 awards, including Album of the Year for *Confessions*.



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entertainment



"Half-Life 2"



"K.O.T.O.R. II"



"Mario Golf Advance Tour"



"Metal Gear Solid 3: Snake Eater"



Video game giant Electronic Arts buys exclusive rights to the teams, players and stadiums of the NFL for its popular Madden video game franchise.

After three years, Microsoft and Bungie Studios release the most eagerly anticipated video game sequel, Halo 2. Over 5 million copies of the game sell in the first month.

The newest trend in video games is to go "old school," with plug-and-play systems featuring '80s games from the likes of Atari and Namco.



2004 is the year of celebrities having babies, as Courtney Cox-Arquette, Gwyneth Paltrow, Kate Hudson, Julia Roberts, Liv Tyler and others all become first-time mothers.

Thousands of young people become avid poker players, a trend sparked by TV shows featuring tournaments for celebrities and professional poker players.

The challenging "Metroid Prime 2: Echoes" takes home the prize as IGN.com's Gamecube Game of the Year.



Reuters/Fred Prouser/Landow

The hottest "hard-to-get" toy for the holidays is the Nintendo DS handheld gaming system.

Even though it won't reach bookstores until July 16, 2005, preorders in December help J.K. Rowling's *Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince* top several best-seller lists.



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sports



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Ironman Lance Armstrong wins his record-setting sixth straight Tour de France.

Heisman Trophy winner Matt Leinart leads the USC Trojans to a second consecutive NCAA National Championship by routing the Oklahoma Sooners in the FedEx Orange Bowl, 55-19.

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With a series sweep of the St. Louis Cardinals, the Boston Red Sox lift the "Curse of the Bambino" to win their first World Series title since 1918.

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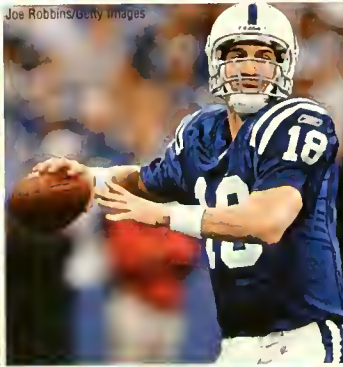
The New England Patriots defeat the Philadelphia Eagles, 24-21, to repeat as Super Bowl Champions. They have won three of the last four Super Bowls.

Following his win in September at the Deutsche Bank Championship, Vijay Singh unseats Tiger Woods as the world's No. 1 golfer.

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In December, Indianapolis Colts quarterback Peyton Manning throws his record-setting 49th touchdown pass of the season.

In one of the worst brawls in U.S. sports history, five Indiana Pacers players clash with Detroit Pistons fans on court and in the stands. The Pacers' Ron Artest is suspended for the year for his involvement.

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Guang Niu/Reuters/Critik



Russian teenage tennis star Maria Sharapova defeats Serena Williams to claim the Wimbledon title. Thanks to lucrative sponsorship deals, Sharapova ends the year as the world's richest sportswoman.

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Carly Patterson joins Mary Lou Retton as the only American gymnasts to win the women's all-around Olympic gold medal.

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ATHENS 2004

Together for the last time, the "Fab Five" of U.S. women's soccer — Julie Foudy, Joy Fawcett, Mia Hamm, Kristine Lilly and Brandi Chastain — bring home an Olympic gold medal.

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David Gray/Reuters/Landov



Michael Phelps swims his way to eight individual Olympic medals, six gold and two bronze.

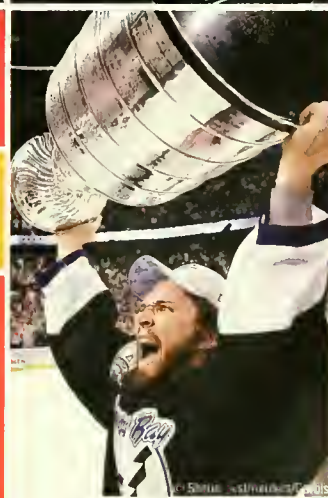
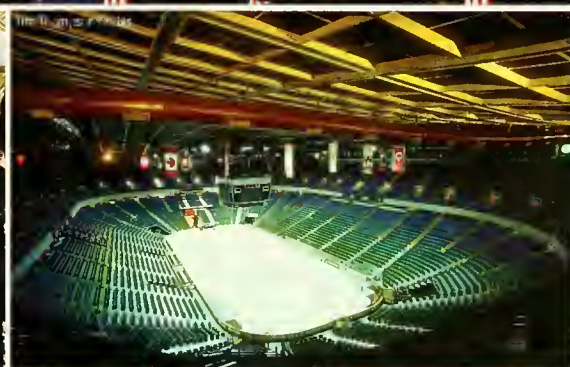


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Kurt Busch wins the NASCAR Nextel Cup. It is his first career title and the closest battle in cup history.

The Detroit Pistons, led by Ben Wallace and finals MVP Chauncey Billups, win the 2004 NBA title.



The NHL takes the 2004-2005 season off as players and team owners fail to come to an agreement on players' salary limitations.

The Tampa Bay Lightning claim the 2004 NHL Stanley Cup by winning the seventh game of the Stanley Cup Finals, 2-1, over the Calgary Flames.

Barry Bonds joins Babe Ruth and Hank Aaron as baseball's only 700+ home run hitters. However, his performance falls under scrutiny after it is revealed that Bonds and other major leaguers have been using illegal steroids.



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Marlon Brando dies at age 80

Johnny Carson dies at 79

Dan Rather retires

Tom Brokaw signs off

Reggie White dies at age 43

In a year of entertainment dominated by teen queens, Lindsay Lohan makes the biggest splash of the bunch with the hit movie *Mean Girls* and her debut CD *Speak*.

Mattie Stepanek dies from a form of muscular dystrophy at age 13. He was known as a best-selling poetry author and the Muscular Dystrophy Association's National Goodwill Ambassador from 2002 through 2004.

In remembrance of those who have died and those who continue to risk their lives in the war in Iraq.



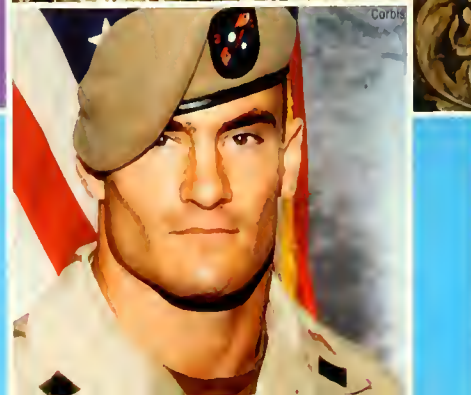
Ukrainian presidential candidate Viktor Yushchenko suffers from debilitating illness and scarring caused by dioxin poisoning allegedly at the hands of his opponent.



Democratic vice presidential and presidential nominees John Edwards and John Kerry make the 2004 election a very close race.

Actor Zach Braff from NBC's 'Scrubs' makes his big screen acting, writing and directorial debut in the critically acclaimed *Garden State*.

Former NFL player Pat Tillman, who chose the Armed Forces over the NFL, is killed while on duty in Afghanistan.



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